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The above-referenced application is a divisional application of USSN 10/367,989 filed February 12, 2003. Certified copies of the priority documents have been filed in USSN 10/367,989 confirming Applicants claim of priority under 35 USC §119 in USSN 10/367,989. Enclosed is a copy of the Transmittal of Priority Document communication as filed in the parent application including copies of the coversheet of each copy of the priority documents.

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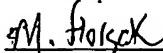
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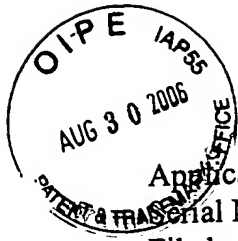
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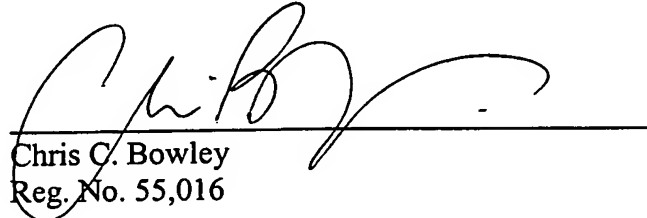
Applicants hereby confirm their claim of priority under 35 USC §119 from the following application(s):

- German Application No. 102 10 782.3, filed March 12, 2002
- German Application No. 101 27 320.7, filed June 6, 2001
- German Application No. 101 25 487.3, filed May 23, 2001
- German Application No. 101 23 727.8, filed May 15, 2001
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